ANNUAL REPORT OF THE

OFFICERS

OF THE

NORTH EASTON VILLAGE DISTRICT

Jan. 1, 1952 to Dec. 31, 1952

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE NORTH EASTON VILLAGE DISTRICT

Officers for the Year Ending February 16, 1953

MODERATOR

JOSEPH W. LINEHAN

PRUDENTIAL COMMITTEE

JOHN W. MAHONEY, Chairman
WALFRID J. G. BROMAN
RICHARD MALIFF, Sr.

CLERK AND TREASURER

JAMES E. ROACH

Report of Clerk
WARRANT
for
SPECIAL DISTRICT MEETING
North Easton Village District

Bristol, SS January 21, 1952. North Easton, Mass.

To any Constable in the Town of Easton, Mass., or to the District Clerk of the North Easton Village District.

Greetings: In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the North Easton Village District, qaulified to vote in elections and District affairs, to meet in the Ames Memorial Hall in said North Easton, Mass., on Wednesday evening January 30, 1952, at eight o'clock P.M. then and there to act upon the following articles,

ARTICLE 1. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of acquiring land for water purposes, for the construction of a building for a pumping station, for laying and relaying water mains of not less than six inches but less than sixteen inches in diameter and for the development of additional well fields including well, pipes and original pumping station equipment; determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation or by borrowing under authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws or take any other action in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Dollars or any other amount for the purposes of cleaning existing water mains and for improvements at the main pumping station and standpipe or take any other action in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the District will vote to authorize the Prudential Committee to take by right of eminent domain certain real estate belonging to Mr. John A. Henderson, Charles F. and Kathleen E. McCarthy, N. Eva Phillips, Alton D. Phillips Heirs of Alfred B. Morse as set forth on a "Plan of Land" in Easton, Mass., surveyed for the North Easton Village District, December 24, 1951 Hayward & Hayward, Surveyors, and to provide that any expenditures that may be necessary to carry out the purpose of this article shall be derived from the money that has been appropriated by the District to carry out the purpose of Article I of this Warrant.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the District will vote to authorize the District Treasurer to borrow money with the approval of the Prudential Committee, and to issue a note or notes of the District therefor, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year 1952.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the District will vote to authorize the Prudential Committee to enter into an agreement for the sale of water to the South Easton and Eastondale Fire and Water District, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the District will vote to authorize the Prudential Committee to enter into an agreement with the Unionville Fire and Water District for the sale of water or to take any other action in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the District will vote to authorize the Prudential Committee to enter into an agreement with Easton Center Water District for the sale of water or to take any other action in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the District will vote to authorize the Prudential Committee to increase the water rate to the consumers in the North Easton Village District.

ARTICLE 9. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hand this 21st day of January, 1952

JOHN W. MAHONEY, Chairman
WALFRID J. G. BROMAN
Prudential Committee

A true copy. Attest:
JAMES E. ROACH, District Clerk.
North Easton Village District

SPECIAL DISTRICT MEETING OF NORTH EASTON VILLAGE DISTRICT HELD JANUARY 30, 1952 AT AMES MEMORIAL HALL AT 8.00 P.M. 68 DISTRICT VOTERS PRESENT

Action was taken on the nine articles printed on discharge warrant.

Article No. 1 The District voters, voted that The North Easton Village District acquire land for water purposes, for the construction of a building for a pumping station, for laying and relaying water mains of not less than six (6) inches but less than sixteen (16) inches in diameter and for the development of additional well fields including well, pipes and original pumping station equipment, to authorize the District Treasurer with the approval of the Prudential Committee to borrow Eighty Thousand Dollars ($80,000.00) to be retired over a period of fifteen years (15) in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, and that the Moderator be authorized to appoint a Committee of seven (7) to work in conjunction with the Prudential Committee in carrying out the purpose of this motion. Vote: 67 yes, 1 No. SIXTY-SEVEN TO ONE.

Article No. 2. The District Voters, voted that the North Easton Village District raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Dollars ($4,000.00) for the purpose of cleaning water mains on Center Street and Lincoln Street, and on Sheridan Street, between Columbus Avenue and Wilbur Street, for improvements at the main Pumping Station and Standpipe, and authorize the Committee appointed under Article No. 1, to carry out the purpose of this motion, to work in conjunction with the Prudential Committee.

Article No. 3. The District Voters, voted that the Prudential Committee be authorized to take by right of eminent domain, or by purchase, or by deed of Self, certain real estate belonging to John A. Henderson, Charles F. and Kathleen E. McCarthy, N. Eva Phillips, Alton D. Phillips, Heirs of Alfred B. Morse, as set forth on a "Plan of Land" in Easton, Mass., surveyed for The North Easton Village District, December 24, 1951, by Hayward and Hayward, Surveyors, and that any expenditure of money that may be necessary to carry out the purpose of this motion be derived from the money that has been appropriated under article No. 1 of this Warrant.

Article No. 4. The District Voters, voted to accept this article as printed and read on Warrant.

Article No. 5. The District Voters, voted on amendment to this article to Authorize the Prudential Committee to enter into an agreement for the sale of water to the South Easton and Eastondale Fire and Water Districts if and when the New Water Supply is available.

Article No. 6. The District Voters, voted to accept this article as printed and read on the Warrant.

Article No. 7. The District Voters, voted to accept this article as printed and read on the warrant.

Article No. 8. The District Voters, voted to accept this article as printed and read, and to charge Three Dollars (3) more per year to each water taker.

Article No. 9. Voted to adjourn.

JAMES E. ROACH, District Clerk.

Jan. 30, 1953.

W A R R A N T
ANNUAL MEETING
North Easton Village District

The legal voters of the North Easton Village District are hereby notified that the Annual Meeting of said District will be held in Ames Memorial Hall on

Monday, February 18, 1952

The legal voters of the District will go to the polls from four o'clock P.M. to eight o'clock P.M., February 18, 1952, in Ames Memorial, Lower Hall, to elect to office: a Moderator, District Clerk, District Treasurer, all for one year term; also elect one member to Prudential Committee for three year term; and one member to Prudential Committee for unexpired term of Clyde Craig.

At 8:00 o'clock P.M., fifty legal District voters or more, (not less) will vote on Articles in Warrant, to decide District business for year 1952.

ARTICLE 1. To see if District will vote to accept reports of Prudential Committee, District Treasurer, District Clerk, and Auditors.

ARTICLE 2. To see if District voters will vote to raise and appropriate Four Thousand Two Hundred Dollars ($4,200.00) for street lighting.

ARTICLE 3. To see if District will vote to raise and appropriate Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) for sidewalk repairs.

ARTICLE 4. To see if District will vote to raise and appropriate Twelve Hundred Fifty Dollars ($1,250.00) for miscellaneous expenses. These expenses to cover salaries of Prudential Committee, Treasurer, Clerk, Tax Collector, Assessors, Moderator, Treasurers' Bond, District Reports, Auditors, and Election Expenses.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the District will vote to accept the budget of the Prudential Committee for operation of the Water Department for year 1952.

ARTICLE 6. To see if District will vote to authorize the Treasurer to borrow money with the approval of the Prudential Committee in anticipation of revenue for financial year of 1953.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the District will vote to appropriate from available funds the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) for the purchase of water meters.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the District will vote, subject to the acceptance of the street by the Town, to extend the water main on Western Avenue in a southerly direction a distance of 140 feet more or less to connect with the Columbus Avenue water main and raise and appropriate a sum of money to cover cost of same or take any other action in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the District will vote to install a street light on the first pole on Williams Street at Main Street and raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the District will vote to extend the water main on Dailey Avenue from its present terminus in a Westerly direction to Western Avenue 310 feet, more or less, said water main to be not less than six inches in diameter nor more than sixteen inches in diameter and to provide the necessary fittings and hydrants for same and to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to cover the cost of same.
By Petition.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the District will vote to extend the water main on North Main Street, from its present terminus to a point of about 300 feet in a northerly direction, this main to be of not less than six inches in diameter and to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to cover the cost of same or to take any other action in relation thereto.
By Petition.

ARTICLE 12. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

JOHN W. MAHONEY,
WALFRID J. G. BROMAN.
Prudential Committee

JAMES E. ROACH, District Clerk.

Results of Annual Meeting North Easton Village District, Held February 18, 1952, Ames Memorial Hall, North Easton, Mass.

58 Voters Present

Results of Voting at Polls—4:00 P. M. to 8:00 P. M.

For Moderator, one year, Joseph W. Linehan	38
For District Treasurer, one year, James E. Roach	35
For District Clerk, one year, James E. Roach	35
For Prudential Committee, 2 years, Richard Maliff	42

Meeting in Ames Hall at 8:00 P. M. 58 Votes.

Article No. 1. The District Voters voted to accept this article as printed and read on Warrant.

Article No. 2. The District Voters voted to accept this article and to raise and appropriate $4,200.00 for street lighting.

Article No. 3. The District Voters voted to accept this article and raise and appropriate Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) for sidewalk repairs only.

Article No. 4. The District Voters voted to accept this article and to raise and appropriate Twelve Hundred Fifty Dollars ($1,250.00) for miscellaneous expenses.

Article No. 5. The District Voters voted to accept this article and the budget of the Prudential Committe for operation of Water Dept. for 1952.

Article No. 6. The District Voters voted to accept this article as printed and read from Warrant.

Article No. 7. The District Voters voted to accept this article and to appropriate One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) from available Water Dept. funds to buy meters.

Article No. 8. The District Voters voted to accept this article and to raise and appropriate Five Hundred Forty Dollars ($540.00) to cover cost of 140 feet of pipe.

Article No. 9. The District Voters voted to accept this article and to raise and appropriate Seventeen Dollars and One Cent ($17.01) to cover cost of one street light on Williams Street at Main.

Article No. 10. The District Voters voted to accept this article and to raise and appropriate One Thousand Eighty Dollars ($1,080.00) to cover cost of 310 feet, six inch pipe, etc., and laying of same.

Article No. 11. The District Voters voted to accept this article and to raise and appropriate Seven Hundred Ten Dollars ($710.00) to cover cost of 300 feet, 6 inch pipe and laying of same.

Article No. 12. The District Voters voted to adjourn.

JAMES E. ROACH, District Clerk.

Feb. 18, 1952.

Report of Tax Collector

North Easton Village District

January 1, 1952 to December 31, 1952

Dr.

Taxes of 1950 uncollected Jan. 1, 1952	$122.20
Taxes of 1951 uncollected Jan. 1, 1952	383.27
Tax commitment of 1952	14412.56
Abatements after payment on 1952 taxes	11.75
	$14929.78

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Taxes of 1950 collected in 1952	$119.32
Taxes of 1950 abated in 1952	1.44
Taxes of 1950 to tax title account	1.44
Taxes of 1951 collected in 1952	312.15
Taxes of 1951 to tax title account	.96
Taxes of 1951 uncollected Dec. 31, 1952	70.16
Taxes of 1952 collected in 1952	13442.36
Taxes of 1952 abated in 1952	272.46
Taxes of 1952 to tax title account	3.50
Taxes of 1952 uncollected Dec. 31, 1952	694.24
Abatements on 1952 taxes refunded	11.75
	$14929.78

STANLEY F. RICE,
Tax Collector.

Report of Treasurer

January 1, 1952 to December 31, 1952

RECEIPTS

Cash in bank January 1, 1952		$3084.52
Received from Tax Collector 1950 Taxes	113.08	
Received from Tax Collector 1951 Taxes	420.31	
Received from Tax Collector 1952 Taxes	13,212.53	
Received from Water Dept. Transfer	750.00	
Received from Water Dept. Transfer	500.00	
Receipts	$14,995.92	$14,995.92
Total Receipts and Balance		$18,080.44

EXPENSES

January 1, 1952 to December 31, 1952

Paid for Street Lighting	$4216.80	
Paid for Miscellaneous	1154.60	
Paid for Pipe, Warren Pipe Co.	786.10	
Paid J. C. Haskell	102.00	
Paid Eldon Gardner	103.36	
Paid Whitman & Howard	1000.00	
Paid Warren Bros. Road Co.	93.50	
Paid Back to Water Dept.	5436.38	
Expenses	$12,892.74	$12,892.74
December 31, 1952 District Treasury Balance Cash in Bank		$5,187.70

Water Department Budget 1952

APPROXIMATE APPROPRIATIONS

FROM CASH ON HAND AND CURRENT EARNINGS OF DEPT.

Operation	$9,600.00	
Repairs and Supplies	2,200.00	
Merchandise	2,550.00	
Bond and interest	2,240.00	
Purchase of New Meters	1,000.00	
Total Appropriations		$17,590.00

Spent for 1952 as follows:

Operation	$9,472.24	
Repairs & Supplies	1,307.27	
Merchandise	1,895.58	
Meters Purchase	989.38	
Bond and Interest	2,220.00	
Total Expense 1952		$15,884.47

December 31, 1952. Prudential Committee

Prudential Committee Report of Water Department

To the Citizens of the North Easton Village District, we hereby submit the following report, for Year ending December 31, 1952.

STATEMENT

RECEIPTS

Cash on Hand January 1, 1952		$9,633.00
Received from Meter Service	$17,764.08	
Received from Meter Rentals	211.00	
Received from Repairs and Supplies	1,561.66	
Received from Interest on Deposit	87.64	
Received from District Treasury	5,486.38	
Received from Bond Loan Account	295.49	
Received from William R. Brown, Check	500.00	
Receipts	$25,906.25	
Total Receipts with Balance		$35,539.25

EXPENSES FOR 1952

Paid for Operation	$9,472.24	
Paid for Repairs and Supplies	1,307.27	
Paid for Merchandise	1,895.58	
Paid for Meters	989.38	
Paid Bills for District Treasury	5,486.38	
Paid William R. Brown, exchange of check	500.00	
Paid for Bond, Plains Project	2,000.00	
Paid for Interest on Bond	220.00	
Paid for Interest on New Bond Issue	680.00	
Total Expenses		$22,846.35
December 31, 1952. Balance in Banks		$12,692.90
December 31, 1952. Petty Cash on Hand		19.49
Total		$12,712.39
Less abatement of		1.34
December 31, 1952 Total Balance		$12,711.05

OPERATION EXPENSES 1952

Paid to John McEntee	$3461.40	
Paid to James E. Roach	960.00	
Paid to Internal Revenue	264.60	
Paid to Brockton Edison Co.	3458.45	
Paid to William N. Howard & Son	213.55	
Paid to Postmaster Clement Coughlin	140.16	
Paid to Frank E. Blake	167.46	
Paid to McCarthy Coal Co.	253.50	
Paid to Sundell's Inc.	33.63	
Paid to Socony-Vacuum Co.	45.26	
Paid to J. J. Reardon	89.53	
Paid to Fred Shaw, Sr.	64.43	
Paid to Mitrano Chevrolet Co.	6.30	
Paid to Harold Goff, Register Deeds	1.59	
Paid to Easton Bulletin	6.00	
Paid to Dexter Print	5.00	
Paid to William Ladd	8.17	
Paid to John W. Mahoney	14.00	
Paid to O'Connors News Store	8.35	
Paid to James E. Roach	13.80	
Paid to Union Glass Co.	22.00	
Paid to Anderson's Express	10.99	
Paid to Walfrid J. G. Broman	5.00	
Paid to Richard Maliff, Sr.	5.00	
Paid to Petty Cash	20.00	
Total Operation Expenses		$9,472.24

REPAIRS AND SUPPLIES FOR 1952

Paid to J. C. Haskell	$650.70	
Paid to Garlock Mfg. Co.	144.78	
Paid to Railways Express	3.84	
Paid to John Henderson & Son	8.56	
Paid to James E. Roach	1.85	
Paid to Joseph Cardoza	93.00	
Paid to Sumner & Dunbar	211.68	
Paid to William Litchfield	42.00	
Paid to John Lewis	42.00	
Paid to Ivar Peterson	30.00	
Paid to Nemasket Tarnsportation Co.	9.02	
Paid to Anderson's Express	4.92	
Paid to William Ladd	5.04	
Paid to Rockwell Mfg. Co.	55.38	
Paid to H. L. Stoddard & Son	4.50	
Total Repairs and Supplies Expense		$1,307.27

MERCHANDISE ACCOUNT 1952

Paid to Rockwell Mfg. Co.	$431.27	
Paid to Warren Pipe Co.	453.60	
Paid to Sumner & Dunbar	539.62	
Paid to New Hampshire Welding Co.	11.67	
Paid to Reardon & Lynch	456.48	
Paid to William Ladd	2.94	
Total Merchandise Expense		$1,895.58

Meter Appropriation 1952.

Paid to Rockwell Mfg. Co., Lowest Bidders on Meters	$989.38

1952 EXTRA EXPENSES

These extra expenses with exception of Bond and Interest are paid by Water Dept., for The District Treasury. The Treasurer has to wait for money to arrive from Tax Collector. All money returned to Water Dept.

Paid to Merchants Natl. Bank Boston Bond & Interest	$2,220.00	
Paid to First Natl. Bank Boston Interest on New Bond	680.00	
Paid to District Treasury, Transfer of Money	750.00	
Paid to District Treasury, Transfer of Money	500.00	
Paid to D. L. Maher Co., for District Treasury	3,952.38	
Paid to William R. Brown, Exchange of Checks	500.00	
Paid to Brockton Enterprise, Ads. re. New Well, Bond Account	11.79	
Paid to Easton Bulletin, Ads. re. New Well Bond Account	51.00	
Paid to James H. Healey, Telephone Calls re. New Well	2.25	
Paid to Dexter Print, Warrant re. New Well Bond Account	15.00	
Paid to Hayward & Hayward, Survey New Well Location, Bond Account	55.00	
Paid to Sumner & Dunbar, Bond Account	38.99	
Paid to J. C. Haskell for Dist. Treasury	234.00	
Paid to J. C. Haskell for Bond Account	21.00	
Paid to Francis Lordan, Cutting Trees, Bond Account	98.00	
Paid to John W. Mahoney, District Treasury Account	50.00	
Paid to James E. Roach, for Registered Mail Bond Account	2.46	
Total Extra Expenses 1952		$9,181.87

Report of Prudential Committee for 1952

To the Citizens of the North Easton Village District.

We hereby submit the following report for the Year ending Dec. 31, 1952.

At the Annual District Meeting Held on Feb. 18, 1952 in Ames Memorial Hall, North Easton, Mass 58 Voters present. The following appropriations were raised and appropriated. For repairs to Sidewalks only, the sum of Five Hnudred Dollars $500.00

Spent on Tarvia Repairing Driveways 93.50

Unexpended Balance $406.50

STREET LIGHTING 1952

Raised and appropriated $4,217.01

Paid Brockton Edison Co. 4,216.80

Unexpended Balance .21

We have 17 250 C. P. Lights at $2.583 each per month

We have 217 100 C. P. Lights at $1.417 each per month

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES 1952

Raised and Appropriated $1,250.00

Total Miscellaneous expenses 1,154.60

Unexpended Balance $95.40

Miscellaneous expenses as follows:

ELECTION EXPENSES

Paid Charles E. Johnson	$4.00	
Paid Dorothy E. Craig	4.00	
Paid Olga Anderson	4.00	
Paid Cornelius Harvey, Sr.	4.00	
Paid Joel Johnson	4.00	
Paid Lawrence Gurney	4.00	
Total Election Expense		$24.00
Paid Dexter Print		$212.00
For 900 Dist. Reports, 12 Notices, 25 Special Ballots and 500 Ballots.		
Paid Harold Holmes, Distributing Reports		15.00
Paid William N. Howard & Son, Treasurer's Bond		25.00
Paid Joel Johnson, Police Work		4.00
Paid Hobbs and Warren, 100 Ledger Sheets		6.00
Paid Dexter Print, 500 Large Envelopes		6.00
Paid John F. Dargin, C.P.A., Auditing for 1951		175.00
Paid James E. Roach, Posting Warrants, etc., etc.		10.60
Paid Stanley Rice, Tax Collector		150.00
Paid Joseph W. Linehan as Moderator		25.00
Paid William McFarland, Assessor		25.00
Paid Kenneth Hayward, Assessor		25.00
Paid Joseph W. Linehan, Assessor		25.00
Paid James E. Roach, Treasurer		100.00
Paid James E. Roach, Clerk		25.00
Paid John W. Mahoney, Prudential Committee		100.00
Paid Walfrid J. G. Broman, Prudential Committee		100.00
Paid Richard Maliff, Sr., Prudential Committee		100.00
Total Miscellaneous Expenses		$1,151.60

RAISED AND APPROPRIATED BY TAXATION 1952

Street Lighting	$4,217.01
Sidewalk Repairs	500.00
Miscellaneous Expenses	1,250.00
Dailey Avenue Project	1,080.00
North Main Street Project	710.00
Columbus Avenue Project	540.00
New Water Supply, New Well, etc.	6,000.00
Cleaning Mains, etc., etc.	4,000.00
Total Raised and Appropriated	$18.297.01

Re. these appropriations. State Officials cut these appropriations by some $3,884.45 and District Taxes abated for 1952 of $287.71.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1952 OF WATER DEPARTMENT

Operation	$9,600.00	
Repairs and Supplies	2,200.00	
Merchandise	2,550.00	
Bond & Interest	2,240.00	
Purchase of Meters	1,000.00	
Total Water Dept. Appropriations		$17,590.00

All unexpended balances returned to General Funds of District Treasury and Water Dept. Treasury.

Unexpended Balance Street Lighting	.21
Unexpended Balance Sidewalks	406.50
Unexpended Balance Miscellaneous Expense	95.40
Unexpended Balance Dailey Avenue	742.64
Unexpended Balance Western Avenue	727.00
Unexpended Balance No. Main Street	710.00
Unexpended Balance Columbus Avenue	540.00
Unexpended Balance New Well Project	1047.62
Total	$4,269.37

Unexpended Balance Holmes St. Project
This is Water Dept. matter $451.30

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. MAHONEY, Chairman
WALFRID J. G. BROMAN
RICHARD MALIFF, Sr.,
Prudential Committee

Facts and Figures

Regarding Water Department

January 1, 1952 to December 31, 1952

Number of Water Meters, Dec. 31, 1950	820
Renewals of Water Service	9
New Water Services	26
3 New Hydrants Installed	
1 Hydrant Relocated	
2 Hydrants Repaired	

FINANCIAL CONDITION

Plants and Equipment	$330,000.00
Due for Water, Dec. 31, 1952	1,145.58
Cash in Banks	12,691.56
Petty Cash on Hand	19.49
Bonds Due on Plains Station	10,000.00
New Bond New Water Supply	80,000.00

Water Pumped for 1952

January 1952	3,704,350 Gallons
February 1952	3,580,670 Gallons
March 1952	3,665,060 Gallons
April 1952	4,571,000 Gallons
May 1952	4,919,340 Gallons
June 1952	5,650,960 Gallons
July 1952	5,670,820 Gallons
August 1952	6,488,820 Gallons
September	9,903,040 Gallons
October	8,167,700 Gallons
November	8,913,700 Gallons
December	10,976,700 Gallons
Total	76,212,160 Gallons

Auditor's Report

NORTH EASTON VILLAGE DISTRICT

Balance Sheet December 31, 1952

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets

Cash	$17,898.75
Cash, Bond Account	5,731.37
Accounts Receivable, Water Rates and Services	1,145.58
Taxes:	
Levy of 1948	.62
Levy of 1949	.68
Levy of 1950	11.04
Levy of 1951	95.44
Levy of 1952	1,200.03
Tax Titles	27.41
Total	$26,080.92

LIABILITIES and RESERVES

Appropriation Balances:		
Water Department	$451.30	
Treasurer	4,269.37	
Bond Account	5,731.37	
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
Tax Titles	27.41	
Water Accounts	1,145.58	
Overlay 1951 Reserved	1,512.66	
Surplus Revenue:		
Prior Years	3,580.73	
1951	6,728.96	
1952	2,633.54	
Total		26,080.92
Net Funded or Fixed Debt		90,000.00

Summary of Cash Balance	
Water Dept. Checking Account	$9,021.35
Deposit in Transit	165.29
Savings Account	3,504.92
Petty Cash	19.49
Treasurer's Balance	5,187.70
Bond Account	5,731.37
Total	$23,630.12

JOHN F. DARGIN, C.P.A.,
Auditor.

SUMMARY OF NEW BOND ISSUE FOR NEW WELL, MAINS, ETC., ETC.

The North Easton Village District Voters sixty-seven to one voted to borrow Eighty Thousand Dollars to cover entire cost of project. Story Re. Same printed herein:—

NORTH EASTON VILLAGE DISTRICT, MASSACHUSETTS

$80,000—1.70% Water Loan, dated April 15, 1952, payable $6,000 April 15, 1953/57 inclusive and $5,000 April 15, 1958/67 inclusive.

DEBT SERVICE SCHEDULE

Year	Principal Payments	Int. Pmts. April 15	Int. Pmts. October 15	Annual Payments
1952	$ ——	$ ——	$680.00	$ 680.00
1953	6,000	680.00	629.00	7,309.00
1954	6,000	629.00	578.00	7,207.00
1955	6,000	578.00	527.00	7,105.00
1956	6,000	527.00	476.00	7,003.00
1957	6,000	476.00	425.00	6,901.00
1958	5,000	425.00	382.50	5,807.50
1959	5,000	382.50	340.00	5,722.50
1960	5,000	340.00	297.50	5,637.50
1961	5,000	297.50	255.00	5,552.50
1962	5,000	255.00	212.50	5,467.50
1963	5,000	212.50	170.00	5,382.50
1964	5,000	170.00	127.50	5,297.50
1965	5,000	127.50	85.00	5,212.50
1966	5,000	85.00	42.50	5,127.50
1967	5,000	42.50	——	5,042.50
	$80,000	$5,227.50	$5,227.50	$90,455.00

Average life of issue—7 yrs. 8 mos. 7 days.
Net interest cost to District—1.66%.

TOTAL RECEIPTS OF NEW BOND ISSUE 1952

Received from First National Bank, Boston	$80,330.66	
Received from So. Easton and Eastondale	268.45	
Received from Sumner & Dunbar Rebate	342.38	
Received from Gas Tax Rebate	42.79	
Total Receipts		$80,984.28
Total Expenses on this Project for 1952		$75,252.89
Balance Dec. 31, 1952		$ 5,731.39

There are other bills to be paid from this Balance, when final adjustments are made.

Expenses are as follows: All as per Contracts.

Paid Warren Pipe Co.	$20,724.60
Paid J. C. Haskell	10,696.25
Paid Sumner & Dunbar	3,353.99
Paid Walter Barker, Inc.	7,840.00
Paid Whitman & Howard	4,561.35
Paid Brockton Edison Co.	680.00
Paid N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	355.00
Paid Hayward & Hayward	212.45
Paid D. L. Maher Co.	18,513.25
Paid Utilities Corporation	374.57
Paid George Caldwell	223.00
Paid F. E. Dodge Co.	66.00
Paid Sundell's, Inc.	265.90
Paid Warren Bros., Roads Co.	357.50
Paid Town of Easton Road Dept.	879.30
Paid Anderson's Express	20.95
Paid Easton Bulletin	24.75
Paid N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	261.29
Paid N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	36.00
This $36.00 covers leases on Crossing, Main under crossing and wires over crossing. Each cost $12.00 per year and run indefinitely.	
Paid Mrs. Eva N. Phillipps for Land	4,500.00
Paid Mr. Alton D. Phillipps for Release	100.00
Paid Mr. John Henderson for Land	300.00
Paid Mr. Joseph W. Linehan, Legal Services	502.10
Paid N. E. Village Dist. Water Dept.	295.49
Paid Hilco Supply Corp.	109.15
Total Expenses up to December 31, 1952	$75,252.89

The South Easton and Eastondale Fire and Water District were officially hooked up with our New Well on Dec. 3, 1952.

JAMES E. ROACH,
District Treasurer and Clerk.

Report of Special Water Committee

January 20, 1953.

To the Citizens of North Easton Village District:

We, the Special Water Committee appointed by the Moderator under Article 1, of the Special District Meeting on Janaury 30, 1952, submit our report of our actions for your consideration. The engineering firm of Whitman & Howard, Inc., of Boston was employed by the Committee as Consultants and Mr. Roger Disken, was assigned, to our project. Mr. Joseph W. Linehan was employed as Counsel for the Committee.

The new water supply for the North Easton Village District is located about one mile south of North Easton and 1500 feet east of Center Street. The supply is obtained from a well 50 feet deep, 2 feet in diameter, with a 12-inch layer of washed gravel around the well.

The pumping station is of brick cinder block construction, 14 feet wide by 18 feet long, with a full basement and waterproofed throughout.

The pumping equipment consists of a 600 gallon per minute pump driven by a 50 horsepower electric motor with a 75 horsepower gasoline engine for standby power. The level of the water in the standpipe is automatically transmitted over a telephone circuit to a continuous recorder located in the pumping station. The recorder automatically starts and stops the pump at any desired level of the water in the standpipe. The station can also be manually operated. A recording pressure gauge keeps a continuous record of the discharge pressure and a flow meter automatically records the pumping rate and the total gallonage pumped.

It was possible to start pumping water by means of a temporary gasoline driven pump in July, 1952. The Town of Easton would have had a serious water shortage except for the fine cooperation of all the contractors and the District in making this supply available in the short time of three months after the awarding of the contracts.

The station went on automatic operation August 15, 1952.

The pumping station is substantially complete and will be finished early this year.

The dry fall of 1952 provided a good test of the capacity of the well. Before pumping commenced in July, 1952, the depth of water in the well was 47 feet. The lowest depth of water during the dry period was 89 feet while pumping about 450 gallons per minute. The well recovers quite rapidly when pumping is stopped. All of North Easton's consumption and most of South Easton's consumption was obtained from the new well during this dry period.

The quality of the water is excellent except that, as noted in the original report of the Engineers and the State Department of Public Health, it reacts with copper pipe to such a degree that chemical treatment seemed desirable. A chemical feeder has been installed.

A 10-inch supply main was laid from the well to the 12-inch main in Center Street. Arrangements were made with the Easton Centre District to use this 12-inch main. In order to reduce high operating pressures and corresponding high pumping costs, it was necessary to lay a 10-inch main from the standpipe to Sheridan and Wilbur Streets via Sheridan Street, Columbus Avenue, Western Avenue and an easement from Coughlin Avenue to Lincoln Street. This new main provides a second supply main from the standpipe to the Center Street-North Main Street area and increased the fire flow by over 500 gallons per minute at this

point. It increased the fire flow from a negligible 220 gallons per minute in the Western Avenue area to over 1,000 gallons per minute. The fire flow at Wilbur and Sheridan Streets was increased from 340 gallons per minute to over 1,000 gallons per minute.

The main pumping station on Lincoln Street has been made fully automatic by installing a new vacuum system that will keep the electric motor driven pump primed at all times.

The following bids were received by the Committee, and in each instance the bids were awarded to the lowest bidder.

Bids for laying pipe 6,150 ft. on 10-inch main, 425 ft. 6-inch, 40 ft. 8-inch main.

Joseph C. Haskell, North Easton	$11,960.50
William R. Brown Company, Ashton, R. I.	12,257.00
Joseph Parker Company, Canton, Mass.	14,257.30
James Monroe & Son, No Attleboro, Mass.	30,525.00
Del Prete Construction Co., Rockland, Mass.	15,312.00
Hyde Park Construction Co., Boston, Mass.	12,167.25
Susi De Santes Co., Inc., Roslindale, Mass.	12,908.25
Z & F Construction Co., Inc., Roslindale, Mass.	17,417.75

Bids received for materials was awarded to Sumner & Dunbar Company, of Canton, Mass., they being the only bidder. The pipe contract was awarded to the Warren Pipe Company, of Boston, Mass., they also being the only bidder.

Bids received for pumping equipment for new and old stations were received from the following concerns:

D. L. Maher Company, Cambridge, Mass.	$14,860.00
Ralph P. Hall, Inc., Stoneham, Mass.	16,100.00
Aetna Engineering Co., Hanover, Mass.	18,878.00
Bids received on Pumping Station:	
James Smith Co., Newton, Mass.	$8,043.00
Walter H. Barker, Inc., Taunton, Mass.	7,840.00
L. M. Witherell & Son, Taunton, Mass.	9,830.00
S. S. Ganick Co., Boston, Mass.	8,823.00
D. L. Maher Co., Cambridge, Mass.	8,593.00
Ralph P. Hall Co., Stoneham, Mass.	8,571.00
L. & T. Construction Co., Melrose, Mass.	9,412.00
L. J. Reardon Co., Inc., Norwood, Mass.	9,267.00
John J. Boyle Co., Dorchester, Mass.	10,653.00
J. B. Plante Co., Cambridge, Mass.	11,210.00

We wish to extend our thanks to Mr. John McEntee, Superintendent, Joseph W. Linehan, Moderator, Mr. Albert E. Wood, Representative the General Court, for their cooperation, and kindly advice, and to others who aided or assisted us in any way.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES H. HEALEY, Chairman.
CHARLES A. McMENAMY, Secretary.
CLEMENT J. COUGHLAN,
JOHN S. AMES, Jr.,
HARLAND ALMQUIST,
LEO A. McEVOY,
GUSTAF RYDHOLM,
JOHN W. MAHONEY,
RICHARD MALIFF,
WALFRID J. G. BROMAN.

WARRANT FOR 1953

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To the Clerk of North Easton Village District: You are hereby directed to notify and warn the legal voters of the N. E. Village District that the annual district meeting will be held in Ames Memorial Hall, February 16, 1953, at 4:00 o'clock P.M. to elect to office: a Moderator, District Clerk, District Treasurer for one year term; also elect one member to the Prudential Committee for a three year term; and at 8:00 o'clock P.M. to vote on the following articles:

ARTICLE 1. To see if District will vote to accept reports of the Prudential Committee, District Treasurer, District Clerk and Auditors.

ARTICLE 2. To see if District will vote to raise and appropriate four thousand three hundred fifty dollars for street lighting ($4,350.00).

ARTICLE 3. To see if District will vote to appropriate five hundred dollars ($500.00) from District Treasury funds for repairs and rebuilding sidewalks.

ARTICLE 4. To see if District will vote to appropriate fifteen hundred dollars ($1500.00) from District Treasury funds for miscellaneous expenses.

ARTICLE 5. To see if District will vote to authorize the Treasurer to borrow money with the approval of the Prudential Committee during 1954.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the District will vote to adopt the following regulation: No water main shall be installed on any way, street, or highway, until such time as a plan approved by the Planning Board of the Town of Easton, showing such way, street or highway has been filed in the Northern District Registry of Deeds for Bristol County; and until such time as the final grade of said way, street or highway has been approved by said Planning Board; and cost to any developers or any individual toward the installation of any such water main, if any, shall first have been determined by the Prudential Committee.

ARTICLE 7. To see if District will vote to accept budget of Prudential Committee for operation of Water Dept. for 1953, and to appropriate sums of money from available funds and current Water Dept. earnings to cover cost of same or take any other action in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the District will vote to rescind the vote on Article 4 of the District Meeting held Feb. 19 ,1951 pertaining to the laying of water mains.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the District will vote to purchase 24—5/8" water meters and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 from the current earnings of the Water Department to cover the cost of same.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the District will vote to install a water main on Coughlin Rd. from Sheridan Street to Western Ave., a distance of 1080 feet more or less and to install necessary fittings and hydrants—said main to be not less than 6 inches nor more than sixteen (16) inches in diameter and raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to cover the cost of same.

By petition.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the District will vote to install street lights on poles number 2 and 3 on Elliott Circle and raise and appropriate ($34.02) thirty-four dollars and two cents to cover the cost of same.

By petition.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the District will vote to authorize the Prudential Committee to do away with the contract that the North Easton Village District now has with the Brockton Edison Company or take any other action in relation thereto. By petition.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the District will vote to accept Chapter 487 of the General Laws, Acts of 1952, relative to the consolidation of the various water districts under the Town of Easton Water Department or to take any other action in relation thereto. By petition.

ARTICLE 14. To see if the District will vote to install street lights on poles numbered 79/3—5—79/7 on Dailey Ave. and on Pole #82/6 on Western Ave. and to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to cover the cost of same or take any other action in relation thereto. By petition.

ARTICLE 15. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hand and seal this 3rd day of Feb. 1953.

JAMES E. ROACH
District Clerk

JOHN W. MAHONEY, Chairman
WALFRED J. G. BROMAN
RICHARD MALIFF

Prudential Committee